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ler the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE Docket Number (Optional) **BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES** 449122005700 In re Application of Friedrich MUELLER Application Number Filed June 21, 2001 09/831,139 For DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM OR COMMUNICATIONS TERMINAL WITH A DEVICE FOR RECOGNIZING SPEECH AND METHODS FOR RECOGNIZING CERTAIN ACOUSTIC **OBJECTS** Art Unit Examiner 2654 V. Paul HARPER Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner. The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b)) 330.00 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown RECEIVED above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. AUG 2 6 2004 Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account Technology Center 2600 х x The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1952 . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed. Х I am the applicant /inventor. Signature assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) Jonathan Bockman is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96) Typed or printed name attorney or agent of record. Registration number (703) 760-7769 Telephone number x attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). August 23, 2004 45,640 Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Date 09831139 NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below*. *Total of forms are submitted.

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